

AMERICANS ADVANCE ON 45-MILE FRONT

Jap Industrial Cities Hit By Superforts

EAST COAST OF MAIN ISLAND UNDER ATTACK

Nagoya, Highly Inflammable Metropolis, One Of Two Objectives

HAMAMATSU ALSO TARGET

B-29 Headquarters Reports New Mission But Fails To Give Details

By International News Service Militarily important industrial targets in the vicinity of Nagoya and Hamamatsu, Jap cities on the east coast of Honshu island southwest of Tokyo, were blasted by some 40 United States Superfortresses which attacked the main Japanese home island today. Radio Tokyo said.

Nagoya, site of vital Jap aircraft plants, and Hamamatsu are situated in the area affected by last week's severe earthquake which crumbled buildings and caused tidal waves to wash the east shores of Honshu.

The Tokyo admission of the new assaults by the big B-29's came two and one half hours after U. S. 20th Air Force headquarters in Washington announced that San-pan-based Superfortresses had been sent on a new mission against the Jap islands.

The report of the attacks on Nagoya and Hamamatsu came on the heels of a Tokyo assertion, recorded in Melbourne, according to Reuter, that aerial bombs had fallen on the grounds of Emperor Hirohito's imperial palace in the Capit. This report was entirely unsubstantiated in any other quarter.

Nagoya Attacked

The raid against Nagoya was the first major assault on the Nip aircraft city by Superfortresses and marked the fifth large-scale bombing to be carried out on the home island of Honshu.

Nagoya is Japan's third largest city with a 1940 population of 1,328,000 and is regarded as one of the four primary targets along with Tokyo, Kobe and Osaka on the Jap mainland.

It is perhaps the most inflammable.

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MYSTERY BALLS SIGHTED ABOVE HUN TERRITORY

SUPREME HEADQUARTERS, ALLIED EXPEDITIONARY FORCE, PARIS, Dec. 13—Something having the appearance of "glass or silver balls" has been seen over German territory, a spokesman at headquarters revealed today.

The balls have been observed individually and in clusters.

Headquarters forbade any speculation on the phenomenon.

OUR WEATHER MAN



LOCAL WEATHER REPORT

High Wednesday, 18. Year Ago, 43. Low Wednesday, 18. Year Ago, 15.

Present trace.

River Stage, 2.29.

Sun rises 7:46 a. m.; sets 5:07 p. m. Moon rises 5:34 a. m.; sets 4:03 p. m.

TEMPERATURES ELSEWHERE

High Wednesday, 18. High Wednesday, 18.

Akron, O. 26

Atlanta, Ga. 26

Bismarck, N. Dak. 26

Buffalo, N. Y. 26

Burbank, Calif. 25

Chicago, Ill. 25

Cincinnati, O. 24

Columbus, O. 22

Dallas, Tex. 18

Denver, Colo. 18

Detroit, Mich. 28

Duluth, Minn. 24

Fort Worth, Tex. 52

Hartford, Conn. 25

Indianapolis, Ind. 28

Kansas City, Mo. 28

Louisville, Ky. 27

Miami, Fla. 63

Milwaukee, Minn. 14

New Orleans, La. 46

New York, N. Y. 38

Oklahoma City, Okla. 44

Pittsburgh, Pa. 50

Toledo, O. 24

Washington, D. C. 38

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YANKEES SINK SEVEN SHIPS IN ENEMY CONVOY

Three Other Craft Damaged
As Japanese Seek To
Reach Leyte Isle

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three of the enemy transports and two destroyers were reported sunk. The remaining Jap ships reached the port of Palompon where under cover of darkness the Navy P-T boat got in its finishing blow.

Attack Resumed

The American planes resumed their attacks the following day and sank another enemy destroyer while severely damaging two transports and a destroyer.

The communiqué reported that enemy troop losses were believed to be heavy, but the number was not estimated.

MacArthur also revealed that American shipping was under attack, sustaining "some damage and casualties." The American ships, in a convoy, returning to another base after bringing sorely needed supplies to 77th infantrymen who seized Ormoc town Sunday after landing behind Jap lines, were set on presumably by enemy aerial forces.

In a broadcast monitored by the Blue Network, Radio Tokyo claimed that Jap suicide aerial squadrons sank two American transports and one destroyer and set fire to one transport and one destroyer in Philippine waters Tuesday morning.

50 Planes Downed

Included in the total of 50 Jap planes destroyed were 11 shot down by Marine Corps Black Widow fighters in combat over Leyte gulf Tuesday when the enemy planes attempted to raid United States ships.

Meanwhile, ground action on Leyte was hampered by continuing rains and the Americans were organizing their newly-won bases in the Ormoc sector for further operations, the communiqué said.

Continued raids over the Philippines and Southwest Pacific by American aerial units were reported in the communiqué.

Patrol planes sent two small freighters to the bottom and shot down an enemy transport in sweeps over the Visayas in interior Philippine waters while heavy units raiding the same area dropped 129 tons of bombs on Masandangardrome on the island of Panay, cratering runways and causing large fires and explosions.

Heavy bombers struck again at Jap petroleum refineries on Borneo, unloading 72 tons on installations at Tarakan, on the northeast coast, and leaving the area blanketed with smoke which rose to 6,000 feet. Patrol planes set fire to storage tanks at Miri, on the northwest coast and also bombed docks at Brunei bay. One American plane was listed as missing in these smashers.

Heavy reconnaissance units continued their almost daily sorties over the Manila area of Luzon while other planes raided Mindanao airfields and attacked enemy airfields and installations in the Moluccas, New Guinea and Solomon Islands sectors.

Wife Preservers


Take care of your towels. Don't use them to remove make-up or creams. Medicine, too, may stain and weaken the fabric.

CIRCLE
THURS.-FRI.-SAT.
3 HITS!

STEPHANIE BACHELOR
The Port of
FORTY THIEVES
RICHARD POWERS
LYNN ROBERTS
OLIVE BLAKEMORE
ROSCOE WIGGINS
A REPUBLIC PICTURE

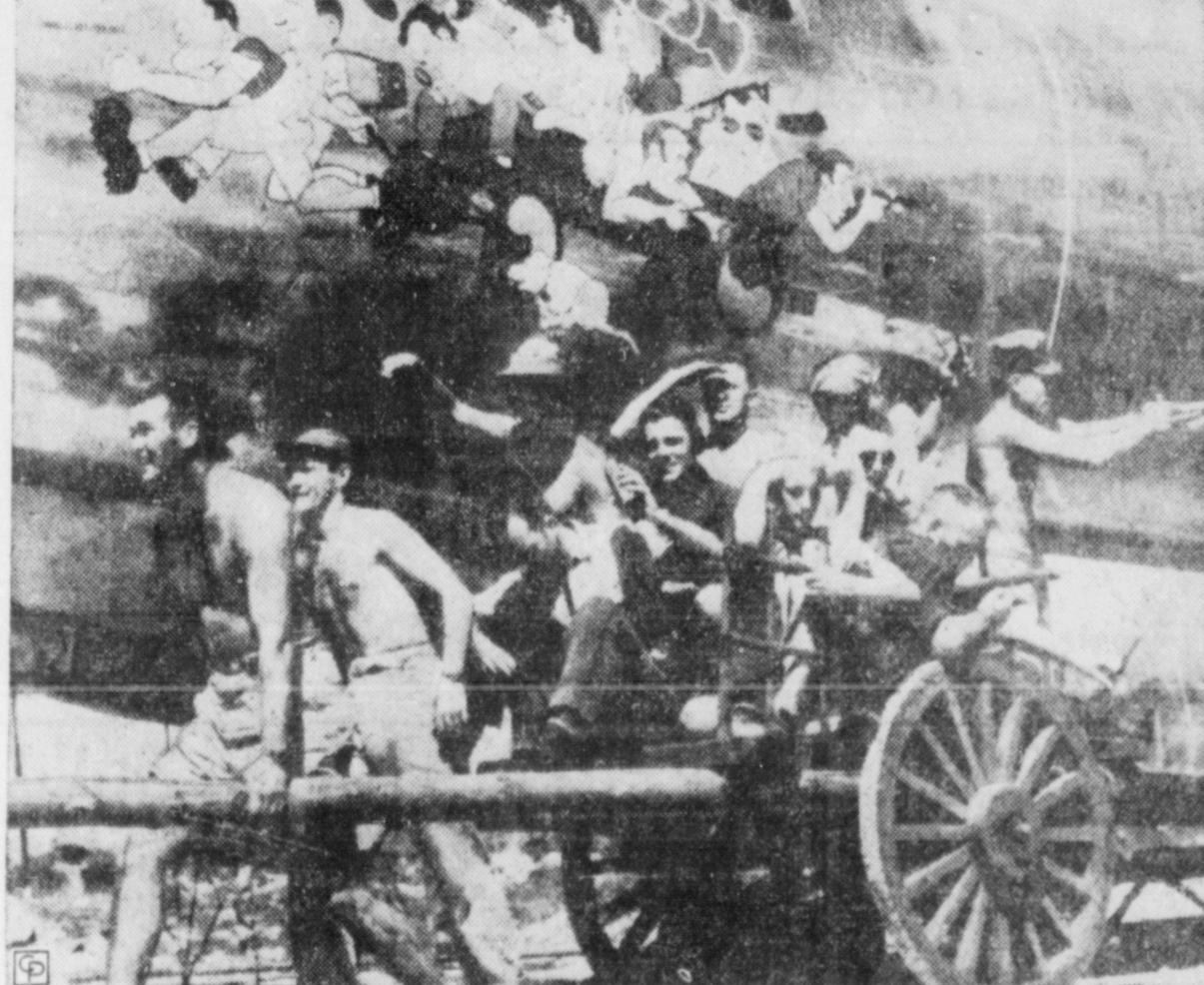
PLUS HIT NO. 2
Hopalong Cassidy
— in —

"BORDER PATROL"

PLUS HIT NO. 3
NEW SERIAL
CHAPTER 1

ZORRO'S BLACK WHIP
LUM and ABNER in
"GOING TO TOWN"

"WADDY'S WAGON" CREW GIVES TOKYO THE WORKS



THE CREW OF "WADDY'S WAGON," fifth B-29 to take off on the initial Tokyo mission from Saipan. They are to land after bombing the target, pose here to duplicate their caricatures on the plane. They are Capt. Walter R. (Waddy) Young, Ponca City, Okla., former All-American end; Lt. Jack H. Vetter, Corpus Christi, Tex., pilot; Lt. John F. Ellis, Moberly, Mo., bombardier; Lt. Paul R. Garrison, Lancaster, Pa., navigator; Sgt. George E. Avon, Syracuse, N. Y., radio operator; Lt. Bernard S. Black, Woodhaven, L. I., flight engineer; Sgt. Kenneth M. Mansie, Randolph, Mo., technician; Gunner Sgts. Lawrence L. Lee, Max, N. D.; Wilbur J. Chapman, Panhandle, Tex.; Corbett L. Carnegie, Grindstone Island, N. Y., and Joseph J. Catto, Falconer, N. Y. (International)

RECONVERSION PUT ON SHELF

YANKEE BOMBS FALL AT PALACE, TOKYO REPORTS

LONDON, Dec. 13—Radio Tokyo reported today that aerial bombs had fallen in the grounds of Emperor Hirohito's imperial palace in the Japanese capital.

The broadcast, recorded in Melbourne, Australia, according to a Reuter dispatch, asserted that a manor was damaged in the alleged bombing.

The broadcast failed to mention when the purported bombing occurred and further details were lacking. The report was not substantiated in any reliable quarter.

(Editor's Note: American fliers operating Superfortress bombers in raids against Tokyo from Saipan bases have carried out their missions under specific instruction not to bomb the imperial palace.)

MARKETS

CASH MARKET
Cash quotations made to farmers in Circleville:

Cream, Premium	47
Cream, Regular	44
Eggs	45
POULTRY	
Heavy Springlets	21
Heavy Hens	15
Leghorn Hens	12
Old Hens	12
Wheat	1.62
No. 2 Yellow Corn	1.20
No. 2 White Corn	1.25
Soybeans	2.05

Provided by
J. W. Eshelman & Sons
WHEAT

Open High Low Close
Dec.—149½ 170 169½ 170
May—165½ 165½ 164½ 165½
July—156½ 156½ 155½ 156½

CORN

Open High Low Close
Dec.—115½ 115½ 113½ 114
May—111½ 111½ 110½ 110½
July—111½ 111½ 110½ 110½

OATS

Open High Low Close
Dec.—64½ 70 69½ 69½
May—64½ 64½ 63½ 64
July—60½ 60½ 60 60

CLOSING LIVESTOCK MARKET
Provided by Farm Bureau
CHICAGO

RECEIPTS—10-Lower, 280 to 300
to 260 lbs. \$14.00 to \$14.15.
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to 260 lbs. \$14.00 to \$14.15.
120 to 140 lbs. \$14.15 to 150 to 180
\$13.85. 140 to 160 lbs. \$12.90. 100 to
140 lbs. \$11.00 to \$12.00. Sows—\$12.75
to \$13.25.

ODD FACT

Among the voters in the recent

Presidential election was a young

New York State man who has

spent 13 years in an "iron lung."

He was taken from the hospital to

the voting place, then back to the hos-

pital.

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NEWS OF OUR MEN and WOMEN IN UNIFORM

Sergeant Thomas C. Dewey, 21, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gardner R. Dewey, of 220 South Scioto street, recently promoted from corporal, has been made a staff sergeant, both promotions coming within 10 days. He is a waist gunner on an Eighth Air Force B-17 Flying Fortress and is based in England. He reports that he likes England very much and says that it is a beautiful country. He would be

William A. Gray, son of Mr. and Mrs. Meldrum Gray, 236 Parkwood avenue, Columbus, and formerly of Circleville, has been commissioned an ensign in the first division, Ohio State Naval Militia, it was announced Monday by Lieutenant Alvin Tallmadge, of the militia. Ensign Gray, who enlisted as an apprentice seaman in the militia two years ago, reported Monday for his first duty at the naval militia base, 568 West Goodale boulevard.

A change of address has been reported for Corporal James E. Callahan, Jr.: ASN 35619759, 3367 Sig. Ser. Bn., APO 565, c-o Postmaster, San Francisco, Calif.

VICTORY'S COST



WORLD WAR II
PICKAWAY COUNTY CASUALTIES
KILLED OR DIED IN LINE OF DUTY
Killed in action 19
Killed or died in line of duty 10
Prisoners of war 20
Killed in action 20
Wounded 51
(These totals are unofficial, being based on reports compiled by The Herald from information received by next of kin from government sources.)

KILLED IN ACTION

Wilbur Adkins
Eugene Countryman
Milburn Devors, Jr.
Robert A. Mouser
Harold V. Hinton
Lyne H. Miller
Earl Reichelderfer, Jr.
Mark Crawford
Harold Kelle
Raymond Ferguson
Lawrence Neal
Wm. J. Schlueter
George E. Meyers
Hort W. Buechey
John W. Thoms
Cecil W. Adkins
Robert A. Bowsher
Robert Christensen
Shirley E. Brown
Russell B. Smith

KILLED OR DIED IN LINE OF DUTY

Richard L. Jedges
Glen Cook
John (Jack) Goodehield, Jr.
Sam Fetherolf
George Reeser
Wade E. Fife
Guy Johnson
Paul Stuver
Charles W. Hoover
John Ralph Wickline

PRISONERS OF WAR

Jack White
Orville Shirk
Robert Livesey
Burton Johnson
Russell Goodwin
Ned Enoch
Russell Lovenshimer
Harold Welsh
Lester D. Hilt
Lester Noggin
J. W. (Billy) Persinger
David C. Bett
Robert Carpenter
William Shirk
Hort Timmons
Lawrence Woltord
Benjamin Johnson
Merle E. Garrett
Joseph E. Sturz
Steve Sturz
Winfred P. Bidwell
Charles Carmean, Jr.
George O'Day
Charles W. Hall
Ralph Whitesides
Donald W. Henry

MISSING IN ACTION

Junior Barron
Thomas W. Pearce
Ralph Morrison
Marion Hunt
Carl White
Helen E. Henn
Robert J. Hedman
James Henderson
Millard W. Good
Walter L. Horn
Charles Holt
Paul Hollis

WOUNDED

Patricia
Ira Byers, Jr.
James F. Sonner
Marvin Stout
Link Brown
Lester E. Hilt
Francis Temple
Ansel Root
Clarence Robison, Jr.
Amed A. Smith
George Martin
Kenneth Wermuth
John Hoffmann
Melvin Thompson
John L. Stukely
William E. Ewer
Charles Huffer
William T. Whiteside
Ted Corcoran
Burton Johnson
Ralph Carter
Robert Redman
Robert J. Stevenson
Lawrence F. Neff
Harold E. Payne
Hort Timmons
James Nelson Kinner
Gilbert Dowden, Jr.
Clarence Allison
Ned Barnes
James Smith
James Brewer
Edward Tatman
Henry C. Palmer
Geo. C. Fisher
John Stumpf, Jr.
Herbert E. Griffier
Lawrence R. Quinlan
Howard Reeser
Robert L. Taylor
L. E. Gandy
Lawrence Lane
Gen'l' Hildenbrand
Floyd Arledge
Roy A. Holcomb
James D. Phillips
Frances H. Cook
William Tatman
Henry W. Smiff
Lloyd James, Jr.

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EDUCATION FOR VETERANS

EIGHTEEN-year-old Kenneth Merrill, a former Marine discharged because of combat fatigue, was the first ex-service man to go back to high school in Arizona. Now ready to begin the study of law, he first has some things to say concerning our unrealistic educational set-up, on which others with whom he has talked agree. His points, as told to a Saturday Evening Post reporter, are briefly these:

The men who come back have grown beyond their years during months of intensive mental and physical training, for which scholastic credit might well be given. They want, and are capable of taking, large doses of knowledge much more quickly than the average school or college course allows. He suggests, also, that most teen-agers could learn faster than their teachers think.

Furthermore, thousands of service men will want not scholastic credit, but applied vocational courses, to enable them to earn their livings. For these, and for regular students, he wishes high schools would set up good short courses in farming, store-management, police work or whatever, with the emphasis on learning through doing, not just from books.

Above all, he says we need more good teachers, able to fire students with interest in their subjects. They must be freed from the local restrictions which so often hamper realistic discussion of vital problems.

BATS AND RADAR

RADAR, it seems, is old stuff after all. The bats, scientists say, have always known and practiced it. Though the phrase, "blind as a bat," has much justification, bats get along pretty well without help from their eyes. Almost everyone has seen bats flying at high speed in old attics, yet contriving to miss beams and pieces of furniture. How do they do it?

They send out a series of short cries, about 30 to a second, so high-pitched that the human ear cannot hear them. These cries, striking objects in their path, are echoed back; the bat picks up the echo and steers away from the obstacle.

Evidently it labels an intelligent animal to call a mentally disordered person "batty."

The biggest thrill of the war must have been felt by those Americans flyers who saw looming up before them the best known feature of the Japanese landscape, the pointed peak of Fujiyama.

No, it is not true that the rule at Washington is "Once hired, never fired." And there might be a little more of what happened to Norman Littell.

"Twenty million Nazis fed in soup lines." Well, Heinie, how did you like it?

WASHINGTON Report

Columnist Recalls Scandals
Of the Whiskey Ring Days

Uncle Sam Carefully Guards
His Nieces in the Services

By HELEN ESSARY
Central Press Columnist

WASHINGTON—Not too fragrant a posy in the capital bouquet is the recent justice department dispute and the subsequent presidential dismissal of Assistant Attorney General Norman Littell.

Makes you want to sniff a little old-fashioned bergamot and thyme, you say? Especially when you burrow deep into the bouquet and find some highly-scented sprigs of lawyer lobbyist.

But, pshaw, do not be too bothered at such goings on. Washington was always like that. Only more so. Two sturdy old veterans at the Soldiers' Home were gossiping the other day about what happened when General Grant was president. Those WERE the days of corruption.

History books tell of the fraud committed on the government and the people by the Whiskey Ring.

The Whiskey Ring was composed of distillers of St. Louis and several government officials who pocketed \$3,000,000 that should have been paid into the treasury.

President Grant himself accepted as a present from the leader of the ring a handsome carriage and a pair of high-stepping horses.

Yet people said Grant himself was as pure as he was brave. You could buy almost anything in those wide-open days with the money you could get almost any way.

Heigh ho, the bribers go. Yes, they still do go. You almost have to look every cocktail in the face today and wonder why it is offered.

But you do not have to pay for that cocktail with an introduction or a kind word if you do not want to pay. You do not even have to take the cocktail.

So you see Washington is improving. But—and here's a thought. Has the Whiskey Ring of yesteryear developed into a Cigarette Ring of this year? Then what has become of the cigarettes?

I lived through a cigarette stampede in a small restaurant yesterday at the crowded luncheon hour.

The WASHINGTON MERRY-GO-ROUND

By DREW PEARSON

BIDDLE AND LITTELL BOTH LIBERALS

WASHINGTON—Along Philadelphia's swank Main Line, they tell how the former Prince of Wales, while dining among Quaker City bluebloods, was asked: "Would you like to meet Biddle?"

To which the Prince replied: "What's a biddle?"

Ever since the Biddle-Littell row broke the Justice Department wide open, a lot of people are asking the same question: "What, who and how is Francis Biddle?"

If you talk to his old friends on the Philadelphia Main Line, they will tell you he is a traitor to his class. If you talk to Norman Littell, his former Assistant Attorney General, he will tell you Biddle is merely the stooge and puppet of Tommy Corcoran. If you talk to some of the newspaper publishers against whom Biddle is bringing suit in the Associated Press case, their remarks are almost unprintable.

But if you talk to the men who work with him day in and day out in the Justice Department, 90 per cent will tell you he is a shy, hesitant person, who sometimes waits before making up his mind but, once he is sure he is right, will fight harder for the right and for the underdog than any other Attorney General in recent years.

FDR tells how, when Biddle was proposed as head of the National Labor Relations Board in 1934, he feared Biddle was too reactionary. In Philadelphia, Biddle had been attorney for the Pennsylvania Railroad, biggest railway property in the world. His last law case before he entered the government was to defend the Pennsylvania against Wendell Berge of the Justice Department in a rebate case.

Biddle and the railroad won. Today Berge is Assistant Attorney General under Biddle, and today they are both prosecuting one of the biggest anti-trust cases in history against the railroads.

ALMOST TOO LIBERAL

Shortly after Biddle came to Washington in 1934, FDR had occasion to wish his new man wasn't so liberal. The San Francisco Call-Bulletin had fired a newspaperman, Dean S. Jennings, in violation of the NRA labor code. The President wasn't looking for a scrap with the newspapers at that early date in his Administration, but Biddle, as chairman of the National Labor Relations Board, one of the most thankless jobs in the country, ordered Jennings reinstated.

Biddle probably gets his instinct of battling for the underdog partly from the late Justice Oliver Wendell Holmes, whose secretary he was; partly from Mrs. Biddle. Biddle has written a book on Holmes, soon to be filmed in Hollywood. Mrs. Biddle, a well-known poetess, writes under the name of Katherine Garrison Chapin, one of her poems having been set to music for the Philadelphia Philharmonic Orchestra.

As Attorney General, Biddle has done a lot of things that made his blueblood friends in Philadelphia writhe in anguish—prosecuting the insurance companies, seizing Montgomery-Ward, bringing more anti-trust cases than any other Attorney General in history.

But there is one thing about which not many of them know, with which they probably would agree. Though little publicized, Biddle's greatest achievement has been in

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Somebody whispered "Cigarettes!" The magic word was heard above the soup. It was as exciting as the word "Fire!" Whoop-ee! Bang! Bang! Rush!

Everybody sprang from the tables. Everybody but myself. I do not add smoking to my minor public vices. Before you could say "Roll your own" the delivery man was stripped of his wares.

IN CASE YOU HAVE BEEN WONDERING about the living quarters of those clever girls of the Red Cross and WACS in the far away islands and jungles, listen to this piece of a letter home:

"We have been moved to what our general calls 'more fitting quarters for the ladies.' And nice quarters they are. We are right on the ocean with a little private beach. Six girls to a building, each building partitioned into three parts with little private sitting room. We have lovely, new beds with gorgeous springs. Not like those rocks we were sleeping on.

"Everything is perfect with one exception. We feel as if we were living in a stockade. Our quarters are surrounded by a 10-foot high picket fence. With a guard at every door and others patrolling around. The ocean entrances to our quarters are protected by barbed wire. And we are miles and miles from town!"

Such protection does not bother the families of those wandering girls. The mamas and papas they left behind are happy to know their daughters are being looked after.

NO SMALL PARAGRAPH in months has brought the response of my recent one on the little crosses made of legendary Virginia fairy stone and given by Mrs. Alonzo Winslow to the daughters of the Crown Princess Martha.

In Friday's mail came a letter from Mrs. Harry R. Rogers of Evergreen Gardens, Lynchburg, Virginia. And out of the letter came a little fairy

More on
Fairy
Crosses

"To bring you good luck."

"I have seen the fairy stones in the rough," writes Mrs. Rogers. "They are definitely in the form of crosses. Some of the St. Andrew variety. Others Roman. And the most popular—the Maltese crosses."

The fairy crosses in Patrick County, Virginia, are dug up in a quarry once owned by old King Powhatan. The legend says that they are made of the tears the fairies shed when they heard of the death of Christ.

LAFF-A-DAY



"This'll be the first sale I've made today!"

DIET AND HEALTH

The Cancer Clinic And Its Visitors

By LOGAN CLENDENING, M.D.

A LETTER with a note appended from a newspaper editor prompts me to explain again the logic of the methods of the campaign against cancer.

The letter said in effect—"I am a woman of 40 and have a lump in

Dr. Cledening will answer questions of general interest only, and then only through his column.

my breast. Could it be cancer? What should I do?" The editor who sent me the letter wrote—

"We have a good cancer control

set-up in this town, but education

of the public is slow."

Exactly. It all seems so clear. How in the name of humanity can I sit at a desk 500 miles away tell from a letter or description whether a lump in a 40-year-old woman's breast is cancer or not? Some such lumps are, the majority are not. The majority are chronic inflammatory masses that tend to occur at that age, which happens to be the age at which cancer occurs.

Examination Needed

The proper procedure is to go to a doctor or properly organized clinic and have an examination and an opinion. As the editor says, the machinery is all set up. They have in that city where the woman lived a branch of the National Society for the Control of Cancer with a properly authorized clinic.

In about four out of five cases of this kind a definite opinion could be given after getting a history and making a simple physical examination by palpation. It might take 20 minutes. In the case which is in doubt a small piece of tissue could be removed under local anesthetic, submitted to a pathologist who would section it, put it under a microscope and arrive at a very definite conclusion.

Why do not people follow this perfectly simple and reasonable procedure?

I suppose some do not because of ignorance. They do not know where the clinic is. They sit there wasting precious time, and don't even look in the telephone book. If there is no listing under Cancer Control the local medical society can tell the proper address. There is either a city or a county medical society everywhere. If you don't

have time to go to the clinic, you can call the doctor and ask him to

see you at his office.

Answer: It is my opinion exercise is the great enemy to the successful treatment of tuberculosis. Some may be permitted after a long period of rest if the temperature and pulse have been normal for some time. Whether pneumothorax treatment has been given or not does not alter the rule.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

T. A. B.—Is it ever permissible for the patient who is taking pneumothorax treatments to take as much exercise as he feels able?

Answer: It is my opinion exercise is the great enemy to the successful treatment of tuberculosis.

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FIVE YEARS AGO

Nearly 6,000 individuals were contacted by F. K. Blair in 1939, it was revealed in his yearly report as Pickaway county extension agent.

A large group of Pickaway district Scouting was expected to attend the annual meeting in Circleville. The Rev. Cecil E. Jones, pastor of the Logan Presbyterian church, was to be the

lead speaker.

Mrs. Warren Moorehead, of Andover, Mass., was visiting her sister, Mrs. B. W. Young, and Mr. Young, of Pickaway township.

10 YEARS AGO

The coldest weather of the year had struck Circleville with an official mark of nine degrees recorded on Dr. H. R. Clarke's government thermometer.

Earle F. Clalborne, principal of New Holland high school, resigned, effective January 1, after which time he was to become district manager of the Ohio Farm Bureau Insurance Co.

Miss Marguerite Clark, East High street, was in Cincinnati for a duplicate bid this deal. The spade 3 was led, and exactly the contract got made, with the loss of a trick each in spades and diamonds.

Some Souths answered the opening 1-Heart with 3-Clubs, though their strength was all in one suit. That bid got followed by all sorts of sequences. some re-

bald Jacobsen, of Chicago, Ill. They were married December 7.

TO FEED WILD GESE

SPRINGFIELD, ILL.—Illinois' 55,000 uninhabited but welcomed guests—Canadian wild geese—will be fed regular meals of grain at Horseshoe Lake migratory water-

fowl refuge seven miles north of Cairo, where they will spend the remainder of the winter. State Conservation Director L. E. Osborne said today.

This program, Osborne said, will insure that the birds are in the best condition for nesting upon their return to the north in the early spring.

ROMANTIC MASQUERADE

By MARIE BLIZARD
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SYNOPSIS

Daphne Willoughby Abruzzi, married when 17 and a widow at 25, returned to her home town after an absence of twelve years, eight of which were spent in Paris, London, and Naples. After her husband's death, she worked four years for Corinne Hollis, a New York decorator. Before the train reached North Wintridge, Daphne thought of the many fanciful letters she wrote to her friend, Kate Dennison, describing her life with the romantic Carlo, her musician husband . . . concert tours, villas, gay bohemian affairs . . . She also thought of Alan Pembroke, a young architect, whom she'd met at Corinne's. Daphne was wearing his orchids.

Then Mrs. Gilson said, "Goodbye, my dear. Do try to get to Minnie Fiske's for tea. She had to tag the pieces of furniture the upholsterer would call for in the morning. She was in a fever of impatience to have the place in order. The upstairs rooms would be ready in a fortnight, but it would take much longer to take down walls, and have floors, painting, and paper hanging done.

Daphne was "coming up in style" and was very tired of hearing about the labor shortage. It was a good thing she was having only simple changes made.

That thought thrust Alan Pembroke into her mind. Daphne had a second letter from him that morning, after she'd answered the first saying, as politely as possible, that she had decided not to employ an architect for the present.

Pembroke was "coming up in style," he wrote in answer to that, and would be dropping in "shortly."

:-: Social Happenings - Personals - News of Interest to Women :-:

Business Women's Club Observe Anniversary

Dinner Party Hears Talk On Group History

Sprays of hemlock interspersed with gayly painted pine cones formed the flat Christmas decoration down the center of the long table when the Business and Professional Women's club celebrated its twenty-first birthday anniversary at a dinner party Tuesday at the Pickaway Arms. Tall red tapers marched down the center, anniversary place cards and program folders in the red and green holiday colors completing the brilliant arrangement. Small tables for additional members and guests were centered with tall red candles in pine cone settings. A Christmas tree scene was the appropriate center arrangement for the long table.

The Collect for club women was repeated by the group preceding the dinner hour and an excellent program followed.

Mrs. George Barnes, program chairman, presented Miss Clara Southward, who, in clever reminiscences, reviewed the history of the origin of the club and told humorous incidents concerning its progress during the 21 years. Miss Southward is a charter member of the organizations. Other charter members present were: Mrs. Harry Stevenson, Mrs. Joe Work, Mrs. Anna Chandler, Miss Mary Howard and Miss Minnie Palm.

Miss Ann Snider played the piano accompaniment for the singing of the club song. She also entertained the group with an excellent piano solo, "Moonlight Sonata," and played the accompaniment for the beautiful violin solo, "Gesu Bambino," by Miss Vera Zaenglein.

Mrs. Barnes was assisted in the arrangements for the delightful affair by Mrs. G. G. Campbell, Mrs. Martin Wilke and Miss Ann Gordon.

O. E. S. The annual Christmas party of the Circleville Chapter No. 90, Order of the Eastern Star, followed the regular meeting in charge of Mrs. Emmett Barnhart, new worthy matron. About 35 were present.

During the business hour, Mrs. Barnhart named her standing committees for the year: registration, Mrs. Harry Griner, Miss Reba Lee and Mrs. Turney Ross; flower, Mrs. Richard Robinson, Mrs. C. E. Mahaffey, Mrs. Ella Hornbeck, Mrs. Ruby Taylor and Miss Dorothy Robinson; visiting, Mrs. John Magill, Mrs. W. E. Hilyard, Mrs. George Foerst, Mrs. G. H. Adkins, Mrs. Turney Ross and Mrs. Tom Acock; press reporter, Mrs. Robert Goodchild; instruction, Miss Marle L. Hamilton, Mrs. Lawrence Johnson and Mrs. E. S. Shane; welfare, Mrs. Frank Bowling; temple decorating committee, Mrs. Lyman Bell, Mrs. Herschell Hill, Mrs. Paul Counts, Mrs. Virgil Cress, Mrs. Sterling Lamb and Mrs. Joe Clarridge; dinner committee, Mrs. F. K. Blair, Mrs. W. B. Cady, Mrs. George Velker, Mrs. Edward Helwagen, Mrs. J. Sam Morris, Mrs. Minnie Heise, Mrs. Barnes, Mrs. Walker Baughman and Mrs. Edna White; dining room, Mrs. A. J. Lyle, Mrs. Guy Pettit, Mrs. A. H. Rodgers, Mrs. W. H. Nelson, Mrs. Charles Smith, Mrs. R. S. Denman, Miss Reba Lee and Mrs. Earl Price; examining committee, Mrs. Carl D. Bennett, Mrs. G. H. Adkins and Earl Hilyard; temple fund, Miss Marie L. Hamilton; music director,

D. A. R.

Pickaway Plains chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, will have its meeting Tuesday at 2:30 p. m. at the home of Miss Mary Heffner, of East Mound street. Mrs. S. C. Frantz, state chairman of National Defense, will be guest speaker. Mrs. Charles Dresbach will entertain the group with a reading. Assisting hostesses will be Miss Florence Dunton, Mrs. George H. Spangler, Mrs. Charles Pugsley, Mrs. L. T. Shaner, Mrs. James Adams, Miss Mary Spangler and Mrs. Leslie D. May.

Loyal Daughters Class

The December session of the Loyal Daughters' class of the United Brethren church was held Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Charles Ater, 314 South Pickaway street. The program conducted by Mrs.

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Eliot Mason consisted of group singing of Christmas carols; prayer by Mrs. Fred Zwicker. The scripture lesson was found in the second chapter of Luke and was read by Mrs. Charles Richardson.

Two interesting readings were given, "God's Protecting Hand," by Mrs. Carl Radcliffe, and "College Friends in War," by Mrs. Ater. Special prayers were offered for the boys in the armed forces by Mrs. Frank Hawkes, Mrs. Walter Mavis and Mrs. Mason. Prayers were offered also for the recovery of Mrs. Marion Noggle, by Mrs. Russell Jones, Mrs. Zwicker and Mrs. Hawkes.

Instead of the usual contests, members told something of interest about their relatives who are in the armed forces. Several interesting articles from Germany, France and Hawaii were on display.

A very brief business period was conducted by the president, Mrs. E. L. Pritchard. The exchange of Christmas gifts was followed by refreshments served by the hospitality committee comprised of Mrs. George Dresbach, Mrs. Elmer Stelton and Mrs. Ater.

D. U. V. Daughters of Union Veterans will have its annual daughters' dinner Thursday at noon in the dining room, Memorial hall. The affair each year is outstanding in the local series of holiday events.

Birthday Observed

Friends of Mrs. Bertha K. Ludford, 216 West Mound street, gathered at her home for an informal evening party, marking her birthday anniversary. Present for the occasion were: Mrs. Bertha Stivers, Mrs. Ruby Binkley, Mrs. Leslie Garrett, Mrs. Mary McCrady, Mrs. Martha Purcell and son, Billy. Refreshments concluded the affair.

Christmas Party

The Container Corporation of America will entertain the employees of the local plant at a Christmas party at Memorial hall Thursday, December 21, at 6 p. m.

The program will consist of dinner, followed by a floor show and dancing for the later hours of the evening. N. L. Cochran is manager of the Circleville plant.

Mrs. Marion's Class

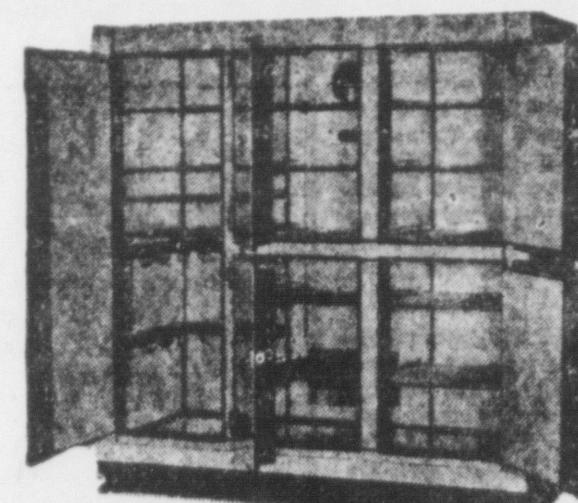
Mrs. Marion's Sunday school class of the Methodist church will have its annual Christmas party Monday at 7:30 p. m. at the church. There will be an exchange of 10-cent gifts. Miss Ruth Stout will be in charge of the devotional. Members of the committee include Mrs. Harold Pontius, Mrs. Howard Cook, Mrs. Barton Deming, Mrs. Frank Kline, Mrs. F. K. Blair and Mrs. Dwight Steele.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Heffner, of near Williamsport, were Tuesday business visitors in Circleville.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Weideman, Sr., and son, Private Fred Weideman, Jr., and Mrs. Edward Short and daughter have returned to their home in Chillicothe after visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Fuller and Mrs. B. K. Ludford, of 216 West Mound street.

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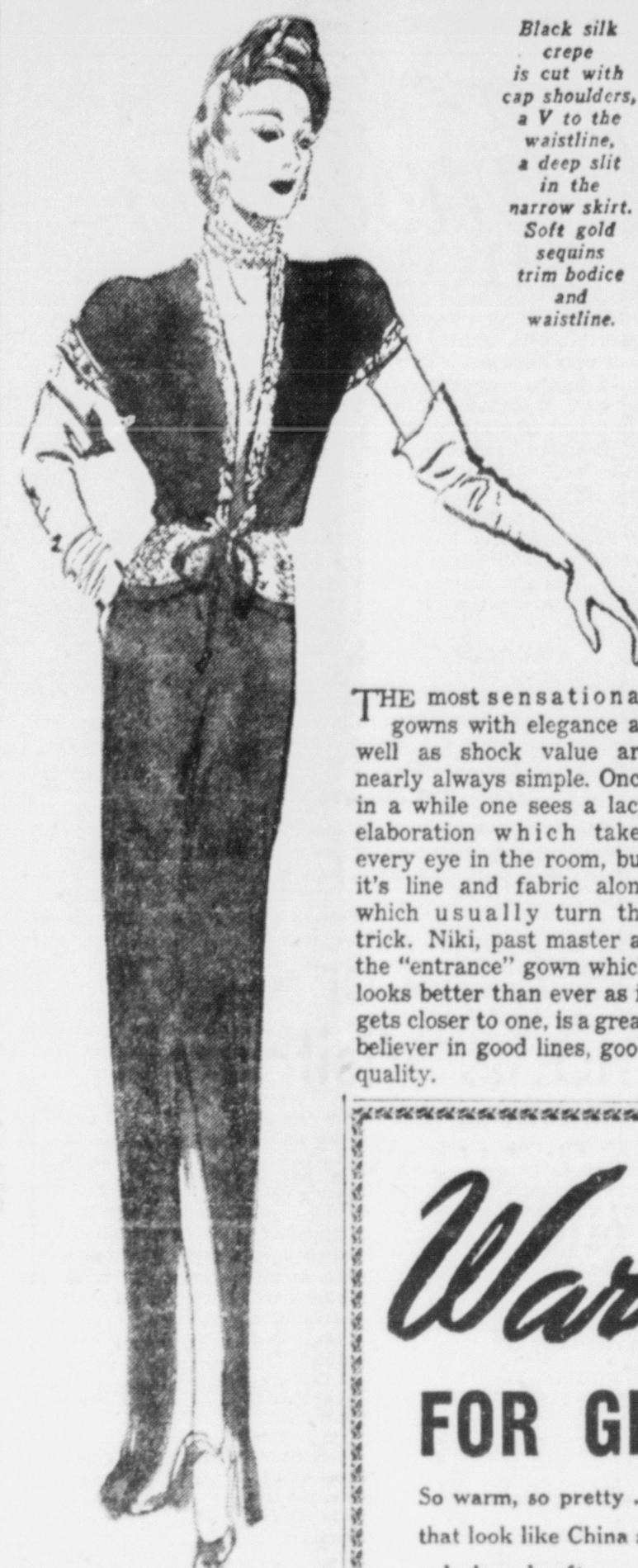


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THURSDAY
ST. PAUL MISSIONARY SOCIETY, home Mrs. William Richter, Washington township, Thursday at 2 p. m.

GROUP H. PRESBYTERIAN church, home Mrs. Forrest Croman, Washington township, Thursday at 7:30 p. m.

U. B. MISSIONARY SOCIETIES, community house, Thursday at 6:30 p. m.

SCIOTO CHAPEL AID, Robtown parish house, Thursday at 2 p. m.

TARLTON KING HELPERS' class, church, Thursday at 7:30 p. m.

ZEELDA BIBLE CLASS, HOME Mrs. Frank Morrison, East Main street, Thursday at 7:30 p. m.

REAL FOLKS' CLUB, MRS. Marion's party home, Thursday at 6 p. m.

DAUGHTERS OF 1812, HOME Miss Mary Heffner, East Mound street, Thursday at 2:30 p. m.

ASHVILLE GARDEN CLUB, home Mrs. William Whitehead, Ashville, Thursday at 8 p. m.

D. U. V. DAUGHTERS' DINNER, Memorial hall, Thursday at noon.

FRIDAY
WAYNE ADVISORY COUNCIL 1, home Mr. and Mrs. George

Mallet, Wayne township, Friday at 7:30 p. m.
JOINT MEETING CHRISTIAN LUTHERAN SOCIETIES, home Lawrence Krimmel, Jackson township, Friday at 7 p. m.
WOMEN'S ASSOCIATION, Presbyterian church, Friday at 2:30 p. m.

HARPER BIBLE CLASS, U. B. community house, Friday at 7:30 p. m.

MONDAY
THE MONDAY CLUB, CLUB room, Memorial hall, Monday at 7:30 p. m.

CHILD STUDY CLUB, HOME Mrs. Henry Helwagen, North Court street, Monday at 8 p. m.

MRS. MARION'S CLASS, Methodist church, Monday at 7:30 p. m.

SCIOTO CHAPEL AID, Robtown parish house, Thursday at 2 p. m.

TUESDAY
PICKAWAY PLAINS CHAP-TER, D. A. R., home Miss Mary Heffner, East Mound street, Tuesday at 2:30 p. m.

WEDNESDAY

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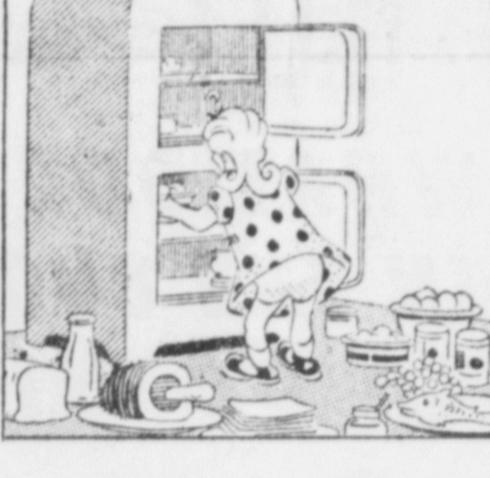
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On The Air

WEDNESDAY

6:00

News, WBNS and WHKC

6:30

Local Act, WBNS: Lone Ranger, WHKC

7:00

Allen Jones, WBNS: Mr. Mrs.

North, WLW

7:30

Dr. Christian, WBNS: Stop

7:45

Frank Sinatra, WBNS: Dun-

niger, WCOL

8:30

Jack Carson, WBNS: Dis-

trict Attorney, WLW

9:00

Sports, WBNS: Mus-

ic College, WLW

9:30

Nelson Eddy, WBNS: Scram-

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10:00

Love Mystery, WBNS: Arthur

10:30

New, WBNS and WLW

11:00

News, WBNS and WLW

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Lee Castle, WBNS: Orchestra,

WLW

EXPERTS DISCUSS LEVIES

Whether corporation taxes

should be continued or abolished in

the post-war tax structure will be

argued by four prominent eco-

nomenists on "America's Town Meet-

ing of the Air," Thursday. Up-

holding the affirmative on the

question, "Should Corporation

Taxes Be Abolished?" will be

Beardsley Ruml, treasurer of R. H.

Macy and Company, planner of the

pay-as-you-go tax; and Thomas N.

Tarleau, attorney and tax author-

ity, former United States Legisla-

tive Counsel to the Secretary of

the Treasury. Opposing them will

be Sylvia Porter, of the New York

Post, the nation's only feminine fi-

nancial editor; and Alvin Hansen,

special economic adviser to the

Federal Reserve Board and profes-

sor of economics at Harvard.

George V. Denny, Jr., is moderator

of "Town Meeting."

RENARDY IS GUEST

Pfc. Ossy Renardy, violin virtuo-

so, will be the guest on the second

broadcast of "Stars of the Future"

Friday. Robert Russell Ben-

nett arranges and conducts the

music on the half-hour show in

which Frances Greer is a feature

singer.

MONTGOMERY STARS

Robert Montgomery, who held

movie audiences spellbound in

"Night Must Fall" a few years

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County Draft Board Prepares To Carry Out New Regulations

CASE REVIEWS SCHEDULED FOR DEFERRED MEN

Enough Youths Available To Fill Quotas For Next Two Months

Pickaway county Selective Service board Wednesday was getting ready to review cases in local files in accordance with new regulations announced at Washington.

Board members said they would follow instructions from national and state headquarters when they are received here.

At the present time the board has enough younger men available to fill calls for about two months, unless quotas are increased greatly over recent calls.

Reclassification of many men in the 26 to 37 age group is indicated in announcements from Washington. Most of the men in that age group registered with the board are in essential industry but there are a few who have changed jobs and are subject to reclassification.

Policy Tightened

A drastically tightened draft policy was indicated Wednesday as Selective Service officials in Washington disclosed that local boards will be able to supply only 60,000 men per month during the first six months of 1945 against anticipated demands ranging from \$80,000 to \$90,000 monthly.

Col. Francis V. Keesling, Jr., Selective Service liaison officer, said that a definite streamlined program would be required, if present demands continue, in order to meet 1945 needs. It would presumably be a further extension of War Mobilization Director James F. Byrnes' "work-or-fight" order for the 26 through 37 age group.

"It all depends upon the number of calls we get and the casualty rates in Germany and the Pacific," Keesling said. "But if the demand continues, there will have to be some streamlining of present draft policy, especially in the borderline cases."

Graded Categories

Keesling's proposal was further underscored by the War Manpower Commission's decision to tighten the referral system for war jobs by establishing graded categories of industries in order of their importance to vital war programs.

Alarmed over high labor turnover rates among draft-exempt workers, chiefly 18-year-olds, Selective Service authorities also expected that strengthened draft procedure would reduce manpower shifts in war production, especially super-critical war programs.

Keesling suggested to the senate war investigating committee at a hearing on the manpower situation that congress enact legislation providing jail terms or severe fines for men 38 to 45 who quit war work.

60,000 Monthly

The 60,000 available inductees per month after Jan. 1, 1945, Keesling said, will include 35,000 who have reached the age of 18; 15,000 from the 26 through 37 age group, and 10,000 from 18 to 26 who have not completed their procurement papers or may be reclassified from 4-F.

In event induction schedules are not met, Keesling advocated an exhaustive examination of present draft-deferred groups, including 2-A (essential workers) and 4-F (military units), as part of the revised policy. In his committee testimony, he said the Byrnes' order would have the effect of delaying "induction of fathers ahead of time" because of the edict's stringent stay-at-work requirements.

To further curb the manpower

THE OLD HOME TOWN

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By STANLEY



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MAINLY ABOUT PEOPLE

ONE MINUTE PULPIT

The law is good if a man use it lawfully. —I Timothy 1:8. Daily Bible Reading, Revelation 21.

Attorney Justin Sillman, Columbus, will speak on "Highlights of the 1944 Income Tax Law" at the Rotary Club meeting Thursday noon in Pickaway Arms.

Circleville Junior Chamber of Commerce will have a dinner meeting Thursday at 6:30 p. m. at Hanley's. Members of the Boy Scout troop will be guests of the Jaycees. Final plans will be made for the community Christmas treat, a project of the Christmas activities committee.

Deer tracks have again been reported in Pickaway county. Tracks west of Circleville are believed to have been made by a deer which escaped from the southern hunting area after being wounded. Blood stains have been found on fodder where deer tracks were seen.

Mrs. Marion Noggle, South Washington street, is reported to be resting well in St. Anthony hospital, Columbus, where she is in Room 104. Mrs. Noggle is being treated for a hip fracture.

Circle 6 of the W. S. C. S. of the Methodist church has postponed until Wednesday, December 20, the meeting planned for Thursday at the home of Mrs. Clarence Thorne, of North Court street.

The combined meeting of the Luther league and Ladies' society of Christ Lutheran church, of Lick Run, planned for Friday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence

crisis, Sen. James M. Mead (D N. Y.), committee chairman, proposed that the military services immediately review labor lists in plants and installations under their supervision with a view to possible reclassification of draft-free men.

"We have reports of labor waste and hoarding in military installations," Mead said. "I think the military owes it to the country to streamline its labor situation."

To further curb the manpower

SCHOOL PUPILS ARE TO OFFER YULE PROGRAM

Christmas songs will be featured by musical organizations of Circleville schools at a concert Sunday afternoon in the high school auditorium.

The program, entitled "Christmas Around the World," will include the following numbers: "Christmas Everywhere," "March of the Kings," "Gesu Bambino," "The Birthday of a King," "In Extremis Gloria," and "Panis Angelicus."

Participating in the program will be the girls' glee club, sextet, sixth, seventh and eighth grade choirs.

More than 90 per cent of the Army paper requirements during the past year were met by "coarse grades made largely of waste paper."

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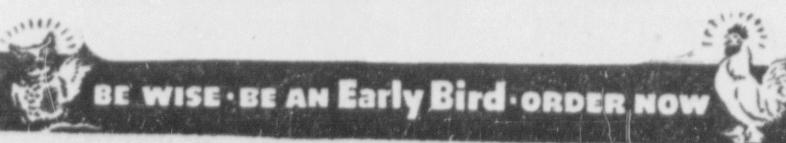
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The DAILY WASHINGTON MERRY-GO-ROUND

By DREW PEARSON

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preserving civil liberties in wartime.

In the last war, the justice department prosecuted 1,956 cases for seditious utterances. Some newspapers were shut down. All sorts of people were thrown into jail. In the Civil War, Abraham Lincoln threw 200,000 people into jail without trial or hearing. But in this war, Biddle has prosecuted only 18 cases for sedition. And no one has been held in jail without trial or hearing.

A lot of people at the beginning of the war demanded that Biddle prosecute Father Coughlin. But Biddle refused, contending it would arouse religious prejudice and appear to be persecution. Instead, he let the Church silence Coughlin. Even the White House at one time prodded Biddle because he did not crack down on the radio priest.

The War and Navy Departments at one time wanted Congress to pass a "Dora" or Defense of the Realm Act similar to England's, under which two members of Parliament have been jailed without trial. But Biddle has blocked such an act here.

He also bucked the Army regarding martial law in Hawaii.

And there you run up against the fact that his young Assistant Attorney General, Norman Littell, now quarreling with him so bitterly, did exactly the same thing. In fact, Littell took the lead in the fight for civil law in Hawaii, with Biddle's support.

CLASH OF PERSONALITIES

The inside of this violent clash of personalities is that both men

stand for the same things, but Biddle is slower, more cautious, believes in winning over his fellow Cabinet members in the War and Navy Departments by persuasion if possible. But Littell, brilliant, impatient, belligerent, scorbs persuasion, is never happier than when publicly rowing with the Army or Navy.

For instance, the late Secretary of the Navy Frank Knox, an honest as the day is long, rarely faints when Littell told Congressmen that the Navy had perpetrated another Teapot Dome scandal in leasing Elk Hills to Standard Oil of California. Littell was right about the lease not being good policy but it was an honest lease, and there was no "little black bag" connected with it, as in Harding's day. Frank Knox never got over this reflection on his honesty.

Again, Littell wanted to condemn the Savannah Shipyards and claims that "Tommy the Cork" Corcoran lobbied with Biddle against condemnation. But the real fact is that Littell lost money for the government in that case. Corcoran had proposed a settlement whereby the government would pay the shipyard owners \$1,000,000 for their property. Littell opposed. And in a joint conference, Biddle sided with Littell, as he nearly always did. He told him

to go ahead and try the case. Whereupon Littell lost. A Savanna jury made the government pay not \$1,000,000 but \$1,378,368. The government was out over \$378,000.

Those are some of the facts which Littell, brilliant but emotional, did not make clear in his public blasts at his chief, the attorney general.

BIDDLE'S BIG MISTAKE

Littell is God's gift to newspapermen. He loves to try his cases in the papers. The shy and retiring Biddle doesn't. Neither did the cabinet members on whose toes Littell stepped. Unfortunately, in Washington it is sometimes necessary to try cases in the newspapers and step on toes. Sometimes that is the only way you can blast slow-moving red tape. Undoubtedly, Littell did a great service to his country on many things. But he made the mistake of talking about his cabinet chief behind his back,

sometimes in words that were fighting terms.

Biddle waited patiently until after the elections, then asked Littell to resign. That was his big mistake. He should have used the Roosevelt technique of getting Littell another job.

Down in South Jersey, Francis Biddle has built himself a Summer beach cottage where he likes to fish and lounge in old clothes. He fancies himself a great surf fisherman, though he is extremely bad. He also fancies himself quite a good automobile driver, though he is not.

One day he backed his car off the road into the sand and got stuck, causing his young nephew to remark:

"If Uncle Francis is smart enough to be attorney general, you'd think he'd have learned not to back into that sand."

Today Uncle Francis is wishing he had not backed into Norman Littell.

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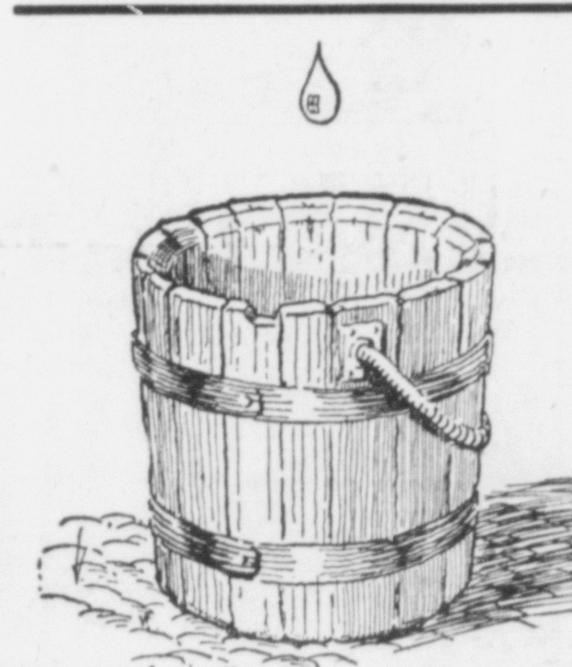


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the bucket would soon fill. What has this to do with using

gas? Simply this — perhaps Mrs. Smith can't save enough gas

to heat treat a

tank, but increased by the little each

of her neighbors can save adds up to enough to make a

shell. A moderate-sized town soon could save enough gas to

make a tank or plane. This winter when all

fuels are needed critically, don't be afraid your saving won't be

noticed. A drop in the bucket but, along with other drops, it

can help win the war

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